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Applicants: Hofvander et al.
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For: Genetically Engineered
Modification of Potato to Form
Amylopectin-Type Starch
Accorded Benefit of: PCT/SE91/00892
filed 12/20/91

The case referred to above has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences because it is adjudged to interfere with other cases hereafter specified. Attention is directed to the fact that this interference is declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.601 et seq., effective February 11, 1985 (49 F.R. 48416, 1050 O.G. 385). The interference is designated as No. 103,579.

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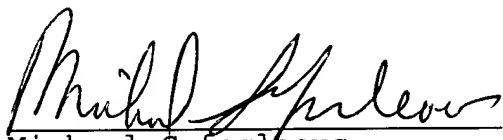
Count 1

A homologous construct of the potato plant comprising a full length potato granule-bound starch synthase (PGBSS) cDNA or genomic DNA.

The claims of the parties which correspond to this count are:

Hofvander et al.: Claims 1, 4 and 6-23

Visser et al. : Claims 1, 4-8, 11, 13-20 and 23-27



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